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In re Application of:

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Anticipated Group Art Unit:

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Anticipated Examiner: Title:

Packet Switch with Enhanced Flow Control

(old)

Method and Apparatus for Flow Control in a

Packet Switch (new)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the accompanying patent, please enter the following amendments.

IN THE TITLE

Please replace the title with: "Method and Apparatus for Flow Control in a Packet Switch"

REMARKS

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1615 of Anderson, Levine & Lintel, L.L.P.

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